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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : ARNOLD, D.W., et al.  
Application Number : 10/599,591  
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Title : Microfluidic Connections  
Group/Art Unit : 2874  
Examiner : Wong, Tina M.S.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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